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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action issued on November 16, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as shown below.

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and
- **Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.